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FOLLOWING TELEGRAM FROM LIMA DATED APRIL 2,1978  
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SUBJECT: SECRETARY CALIFANO LUNCHEON FOR WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY  
REPRESENTATIVES

REF: STATE 108154

1. PERU'S CHIEF DELEGATE TO WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY, GENEVA,  
MAY 8-24, IS PERUVIAN MINISTER OF HEALTH, AIR FORCE GENERAL  
OSCAR DAVILA ZUMAETA.

2. GENERAL DAVILA BECAME MINISTER OF HEALTH ON JANUARY 1,  
1978. PRIOR TO HIS APPOINTMENT TO THE MINISTRY HE HAD BEEN  
PERU'S AIR ATTACHE TO THE U.S. AND CANADA (RESIDENT IN  
WASHINGTON) SINCE NOVEMBER 1975. OTHER POSITIONS WHICH  
DAVILA HAS HELD INCLUDE CHIEF OF OPERATIONS OF THE VIII  
AVIATION DIRECTORATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION,  
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SUBJ-DIRECTOR OF THE PERUVIAN AIR ACADEMY, COMMANDER OF THE  
1ST AIR WING (NORTHERN PERU) IN 1974, AND COMMANDER OF THE  
2ND AIR WING (LIMA) IN 1975. WHILE 2ND AIR WING COMMANDER,  
DAVILA ALSO SERVED AS VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE STATE AIRLINE,  
AEROPERU. APART FROM HIS TOUR AS AIR ATTACH TO THE U.S.  
DAVILA VISITED THE US IN 1972 AS A STUDENT AT THE CENTRO DE  
ALTOS ESTUDIOS MILITARES (CAEM), THE PERUVIAN EQUIVALENT OF THE

NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE.

3. DAVILA IS CONSIDRED INTELLIGENT AND A CAPABLE OFFICER  
HE IS HIGHLY RATED AS A PILOT. DAVILA HAS REPUTATION OF BEING  
PRO-US.

4. DAVILA WAS BORN IN IQUITOS, PER ON SEPTEMBER 23, 1926. HE  
IS MARREDI AND HAS 4 CHILDR, 3 BOYS AND ONE GIRL.

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